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FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5247

INFO AMEMBASSY KINGSTON PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: FR, BDIS

SUBJECT: SEIZURE OF TUG AND BARGES AT CAYENNE

REF.: STATE 236628

EMBASSY HAS REPEATEDLY BEEN URGING FOREIGN OFFICE TO FURNISH REPORT ON SEIZURE OF TUG AND BARGES WITHOUT SUCCESS. AT NOON ON DECEMBER 4 WE DID SO WITH PONSOLLE OF AMERICAN DESK AND IN AFTERNOON WITH JEANNOT OF OFFICE OF CONSULAR AFFAIRS. AT MIDDAY TODAY WE AGAIN RAISED MATTER WITH PONSOLLE.

QUAI OFFICIALS CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN THAT REPORT IS NOT YET FORTHCOMING FROM MINISTRY OF OVERSEAS DEPARTMENTS AND TERRITORIES. ONLY COMMENTS PROFERRED WERE TO EFFECT THAT INCIDENT INVOLVED COMMERCIAL DISPUTE AND TOOK PLACE WITHIN TERRITORIAL WATERS.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO PRESS FOR AN ANSWER IN FACE OF THESE EXASPERATING BUREAUCRATIC DELAYS.IRWIN

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